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UTICA!

Our doors are open. Our store contains one of the largest, handsomest and best assorted stock of CLOTHING, for Men, Youths', Boys and Children, shown in the state for the Spring trade, direct fron the factory of

Owen, Pixley & Co

And made up in a manner that will give unqualified satisfaction to the consumer. We desire that our prices should be examined, and after convincing yourself that we can sell at lower prices than dealers who buy their goods of manufacturers and pay them an additional profit All we ask is

Buy Only Where Your Dollar Will Buy the MOST.

Our Children's department is one of the great features of our business. A department nicely carpeted, with easy chairs for the comfort and convenience of mothers and children, containing a full line of

Knit Suits,

Ranging in price from $1.00 up.

A Full Line of Knee Pant Suits

Ranging in price from $1.50 up.

Boy's Long Pant Suits

From $2.00 up. With every boy's or child's suit we give a POCKET KNIFE.

One Price, And No Deviation,

Is the invariable rule. A child can buy of us as cheap as a grown person. Satisfaction guaranteed or money refunded. Fair dealing is the foundation upon which we design building our trade. We invite inspection; whether purchaser or visitor, you are welcome.

Utica One-Price Clothing Store

IN HAWORTH'S NEW BLOCK.

THE Fifth ward is having a kind of free for all race.

LAKE has a hot box already. If license or no license should happen to depend on his vote, he will have to take sides, and then there will be —— to pay.

BOSS KANAN has not got down to heavy work in the present campaign. He will postpone his labors till the latter part of October and the first of November.

It is said that Corry Johns will not take part in the fight this year for license, because he wishes to cultivate the cold water republicans for support this fall. He need not worry. They will come up smiling. They will say they cannot afford to be prohibitionists in a presidential year.

WHERE is the Republican in our coming city election? We do not find any labored editorials in favor of putting the responsibility somewhere, and insisting that the republican party should have it. The Republican is holding its hat for the spoils, and is ready to cry "didn't we do it," no matter which side wins.

J. C. LAKE, of this city was nominated by the republicans yesterday, as a candidate for member of the State Board of Equalization. Capt. Emery's recent conversion to prohibition did not gain. Lake's record on this question is of longer standing, and no one can play the two horse act better than he—not even Rogers.

A PROMINENT prohibitionist was in to see us bright and early yesterday and took us to task for giving away the detective scheme. The REVIEW is not a keeper of prohibition secrets. The bosses of that organization, who are prominent republicans, do not confide in us, and what the vigilance of our reporter finds out is ours to publish if we wish to. At the last general election the prohibitionists and saloon men made a happy combination in the interest of the prohibition republican ticket, and now they are fighting each other. We suppose, though, honors will be made easy this fall when the prohibitionists come up smiling and bland and vote for a license man for States Attorney.

OUR SCHOOLS.

Report of Attendance for Week Ending April 11, '84.

	Enrolled	Absent	½ days	Tardy
HIGH SCHOOL.				
J. N. Wilkinson	67	15	2	
Mary W. French	45	7	0	
S. Alice Judd	37	5	0	
Mary Waider	50	1	2	
Ella Bear	84	24	0	
FIRST WARD.				
T. L. Evans	50	20	0	
A. H. Hardy	41	14	0	
M. Thuneman	47	32	0	
K. E. Crowley	81	32	0	
A. Tinkler	86	16	2	
L. Demsey	104	28	2	
SECOND WARD.				
E. Philbrook	60	26	4	
I. L. Fuss	35	17	0	
M. M. Edwards	54	27	2	
B. Fulton	60	33	2	
M. E. Lukens	82	10	5	
A. E. Murphy	87	12	6	
THIRD WARD.				
J. E. Durfee	62	26	2	
A. N. Jack	54	12	1	
G. A. Raymond	51	33	1	
M. C. Gregory	58	36	0	
N. A. Davidson	61	17	0	
E. C. Philbrook	99	21	4	
FOURTH WARD.				
Minnie A. Parker	35	12	1	
Rosa E. Judson	54	22	1	
Miss Brand	56	34	0	
Annie E. Woods	106	47	2	
FIFTH WARD.				
C. W. Shleppy	53	43	1	
A. A. Bradley	55	22	1	
Sarah E. Sanderson	45	11	1	
Laura Montgomery	77	9	2	
JONES' SCHOOL.				
Martha Johnson	14	2	1	

Light Wanted.

MESSRS. EDITORS.—Is there not something very singular in the fact that we voters in the Second ward never discovered the many virtues or splendid business qualifications of Mr. James W. Huddleson in time to nominate him at our regular meeting? Why did his friends keep him hid until this late hour, and then flash him upon us like an electric light, done up in a dark lantern? We are not able to stand the brilliant rays of such a shining luminary in our midst all at once.

In the Republican his friend says "the temperance people think they know how he stands, and in the Herald he is a strong temperance man! Now, we don't want to THINK anything about it. We want to KNOW where he stands. He may be a temperance man, and yet a license man, and that is what ails us at present—too many of that kind of men! It will be too late if we wake up after the election to the fact that we have elected a weak-kneed temperance man, or a whiskey-license alderman in our banner temperance ward!

That won't do for us. The honest voters of our ward are not to be "caught napping" in that manner.

ONE WHO DON'T KNOW.

V. Barber

Has concluded to close out the "White Front" bankrupt stock of Clothing, Furnishing goods, etc. We hang the banner on the outer wall. "Bargain hunters, come on. Revolving sign—near postoffice.

al2d&w1w JOHN IRWIN, Manager.

PERSONAL.

Ed. Strohm is able to appear on the streets.

Tom Quinn has returned home from Chicago.

Mr. Ed. Reed, of Maroa, was in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Myra Estabrook spent yesterday in Vandalia.

C. P. Honaman, the ring ringer man, is in Louisville.

Mrs. Dr. Rice, of Niantic, was in the city yesterday.

C. A. Ewing, Esq., returned home yesterday from Chicago.

James A. Miller went to Taylorville, yesterday, on business.

Mrs. James Dodd is quite ill at her home, No. 310 East William street.

Superintendent H. F. Clark, of Springfield, was in the city last night.

Mr. F. Rottger, the Wabash agent at Mt. Sterling returned home yesterday.

Mr. A. Baker, of the Wabash ticket office, is confined to his room with illness.

Mrs. George C. Kinaman, has returned home from a visit to friends in St. Louis.

Amos Imboden, the Wabash detective, has been transferred to the Union Pacific.

General Passenger Agent S. M. Miller, of the P., D. & E., was in the city yesterday.

Miss Lillie Condell, of St. Louis, visited here on yesterday. She will return home to-day.

E. P. Varf and A. H. Mills were in Clinton yesterday, attending the congressional convention.

Comrade Kepley and other members of the G. A. R. band have returned home from Shiloh.

Captein Hartley will have a hickory cane, made from a piece of wood cut on the battle field of Shiloh.

Dr. Curtis and his man "Joe" have dissolved partnership. "Joe" will hereafter work at the jewelry store.

Rev. Lockart, of Niantic, was in the city yesterday. He attended the Beecher lecture Thursday evening.

Tom Bivans, the excursion agent, has moved his office from Hand's book store to a room over the postoffice.

Gus Ahrens, of Chicago, who formerly managed Bain's Tea and Coffee store in this city, was here yesterday.

Miss Gladys Huff is in Decatur, called there by the illness of her sister, Mrs. E. W. Chandler.—Maroa News.

W. G. Peterson, advance agent of Evans, Bryant & Hoey's "Meteors," was in the city yesterday, a guest at the New Deming.

Mrs. I. W. Ehrman has returned home from St. Joe, where she attended the Ehrman-Furst wedding, which occurred a few evenings ago.

J. B. Bullard, the undertaker, was at Boiling Springs yesterday, where he conducted the funeral of the infant child of Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Hays.

Prof. Black was in the city yesterday, but left in the afternoon for Virden. He will return to this city week after next, and remain four or five days.

Rev. L. Bookwalter, president of Westfield college, and Rev. W. C. Smith, traveling agent for the same institution, are in the city, guests of Rev. H. W. Trueblood.

John McDonald, one of Decatur's popular young men, was in the city yesterday, grasping hands with his friends, of whom he has many in this city.—Springfield Monitor.

Joseph Burwell, who lives over Flynn's grocery ftore, was arrested on Cerro Gordo street, last evening, for beating his wife. Officer Helmick made the arrest and locked him up. Burwell was drunk.

James Hollinger received word yesterday of the death of Rev. Joseph White, pastor of the A. M. E. church of Peoria. His remains will be brought here for interment to-day. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. John Bird, of this city.

Rev. Dr. Marquis, formerly pastor of the First Presbyterian church, of this city, preached to his old congregation last evening. Dr. M. is now located in St. Louis, and his visit to this city was quite unexpected, or he would have been greeted with a very large audience.

Special Excursion Trains

For the republican convention at Peoria, the Illinois Midland railway will run a special train of elegant coaches, leaving Decatur at 12:45 p. m., arriving at Peoria at 5 p. m., April 15th. Round trip tickets good to return up to April 19th, $2.35. Returning, the train will leave Peoria upon the adjournment of the convention. ap12 3t

April is a good time to trim apple trees. They should be pruned so as to allow the air and sunlight to enter among the branches freely. No better illustration can be given than to make the main branches stand out from the tree like the rods in an inverted umbrella. Allow no branches to cross each other nor allow main branches to grow too parallel to each other. There is hardly any danger of leaving the branches too open.

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CHEAPEST HOUSE IN AMERICA!

5 AND 10 CENT DEPARTMENTS.

BARGAINS NEVER SEEN BEFORE.

Large Milk Pans	10c
Hat Racks	10c
Egg Beater	10c
Scrap Books	10c
Large Stone-China Jug	14c
Jeans Pants, Lined	75c
Tea Spoons, Six for	10c
Wire Hair Brushes	15c
Bath Towels	12c
Goblets	5c
Lamp Chimneys	5c
Lead Pencils, tipped	3c
Feather Dusters	10c
Song Folios	43c
Large Dish-pans	25c
Teapots	15c
Best Calico	5½c
Ladies' Corsets	48c
Rolling Pins	5 and 10c
Sheet Music	5c
Illustrated Dictionary	25c
Girls' School Hats	31c
Handsome Picture Frames	25c
Belding Bros.' Sewing Silk	5 and 10c
Soup Ladles	10c

Fail not to Visit the FAIR.

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Base Ball.

A bat, ball, and cap, given away with every boys suit, at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. aldtf

$10.00 all wool suits, at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. aldtf

Money

Advanced on all kinds of goods, new and second hand, such as watches, jewelry, guns, pistols, clothing, etc., etc. Also a large stock of goods of various kinds for sale at great bargains. C. Jacobs,
The Pawnbroker, 115, N. Main St. 3d1w

75c buys a nice parcale shirt, with separate collars and cuffs, at Fleury's, corner old square. afdtf

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Prize Shooting Gallery, Prairie street, opposite postoffice. 28w1*

HELLO!

Do you know that J. W. Race, of the firm of J. R. Race & Co. has just returned from New York, where he bought goods cheaper than ever?

Yes, I've heard so—and that they are now receiving an immense stock for the spring trade—but they always did have the largest and best stock in the city, and sold them mighty cheap

Did you hear about their WATCH DONATION?

They are STEM WINDERS and guaranteed to keep GOOD TIME and are Given Away with every $20 and over worth of goods purchased of them for cash.

Buy a $20 suit and get the CORRECT TIME.

When are you going around to see their stock?

Why, just as soon as I can get time. Every day is opening day with them. They are always ready to wait on customers and give them bargains.

J. R. RACE & CO.

Are receiving their spring stock of

Clothing and Furnishing Goods.

Their Merchant Tailoring Department was never so complete.

J. R. RACE & CO.

129--135 North Water St., - - Decatur, Ill.

Giving Away Cook Stoves

Good Prizes for a little Good Guessing.

We to-day place on exhibition at our store a Glass Globe filled with beans, and offer the following prizes to customers making best guess at number of beans. The filling of globe was was left to disinterested persons, as will be seen by the following certificate:

Certificate of Committee:

We, the undersigned have deposited a quantity of beans in a glass globe on exhibition at the Hardware Store of Ferguson & Dillehunt, in this city, have securely sealed the globe, and have no knowledge of the number of beans contained therein.—[D. S. SHELLABARGER, of D. S. Shellabarger & Co.'s Mills; JAMES FREEMAN, of Freeman Bros.' boots and shoes; F. L. HAYS, of F. L. Hays & Co.' Dry Goods.

Customers are entitled to one guess for each dollar's worth of goods purchased. Should there be a tie between two or more, the committee will decide by lot.

LIST OF PRIZES: 1st best guess, 1 No. 38 Champion Monitor cook stove; 2d best, No. 8-18 Family Garland cook stove; 3d best, 1 Novelty Clothes Wringer; 4th best, 1 Ladies' Friend carpet sweeper.

☞ Names of the prize winners will be made public as soon after December 31st as the committee can count the beans and determine the prize guessers.

Beans will be counted and prizes guessed determined by same committee.

We have a Large Fresh Stock of

General Hardware, Cutlery, Tools, &c.,

—And the Finest Assortment of—

STOVES!

In the State, which we offer at Bottom Prices. Come and see us.

Ferguson & Dillehunt.

OUR BARGAIN COLUMN.

WANTED—A situation for a girl 18 years old, in a private family, for general house work or nurse girl. Apply at this office, or at No. 216 West Wood street. C. C. CLARK. ap1 1w

PLYMOUTH ROCK EGGS—From pure bred fowls—$2.00 per setting of 13 eggs. Address W. D. Chamberlain, Harristown, Ill. ap8d4w

BANKING HOUSE of Peddicord, Burrows & Co. We now have money to loan on city property on favorable terms. ad1w

FOR RENT—The new frame dwelling of seven rooms, kitchen, washhouse, cellar, cistern, city water with all necessary out buildings. Enquire at Abel & Lasker's carpet store. ad1w

WANTED—A good German girl for private family. Call on or address A. M. Kincaid, Nicholas hotel. ap10 1w

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.—Those indebted to the late firm of Dunnegan & Doyle will call on me at once at No. 128 East Eldorado street, and make payment, and thereby save trouble and expense. These accounts must be collected. m28d1w R. S. BOHON, Assignee.

BOARDING HOUSE FOR SALE—A well furnished boarding house in this city, centrally located, 30 rooms and good business, for sale. First visitor going west. Inquire at this office. al2dtf

LAUNDRIES—Hop Kee's laundries, No. 132 South Main street and Hop Lee's meat room, corner New Deming Hotel. Shirts, 10cts; collars & cuffs, 5cts a pair; under wear, 2 for 15 cts. Work every day. 19n8

MADAM GRISWALD CORSET—Having secured the agency for the Griswald corset, I am now prepared to fill all orders with which I may be favored. Orders by postal card promptly filled. Call or address Mrs. S. A. Underwood, 960 N. Water St., Decatur, Ill. a8w

WANTED—A situation in any kind of legitimate business, where I can make an honest living. Am thoroughly posted on furniture, or will soon learn any kind of business. Address, or call at 354 E. Condit st., city. ED. HOUSTON. a8d1w

FOR SALE—House and lot on E. Condit St. near Broadway. House contains 7 rooms, has cistern, cellar and out houses. Part of purchase money can remain on mortgage. Apply to Mrs. E. Houston, 354 E. Condit street. a8d1w*

FOR RENT—A large, commodious building house, within two blocks of the postoffice, in perfect condition of repair, with water, gas, &c., &c. Inquire at 131 N. Main St.

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Sick Headache and relieve all the troubles incident to a bilious state of the system, such as Dizziness, Nausea, Drowsiness, Distress after eating, Pain in the Side, &c. While their most remarkable success has been shown in curing

SICK

Headache, yet Carter's Little Liver Pills are equally valuable in Constipation, curing and preventing this annoying complaint, while they also correct all disorders of the stomach, stimulate the liver and regulate the bowels. Even if they only cured

HEAD

Ache they would be almost priceless to those who suffer from this distressing complaint; but fortunately their goodness does not end here, and those who once try them will find these little pills valuable in so many ways that they will not be willing to do without them. But after all sick head

ACHE

is the bane of so many lives that here is where we make our great boast. Our pills cure it while others do not.

Carter's Little Liver Pills are very small and very easy to take. One or two pills make a dose. They are strictly vegetable and do not gripe or purge, but by their gentle action please all who use them. In vials at 25 cents: five for $1. Sold by druggists everywhere, or sent by mail.

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A MARVELOUS STORY

TOLD IN TWO LETTERS.

FROM THE SON: "26 Cedar St., New York, Oct. 26, 1887.

"*Gentlemen*—My father resides at Glover, Vt. He has been a great sufferer from Scrofula, and the inclosed letter will tell you what a marvelous effect

Ayer's Sarsaparilla

has had in his case. I think his blood must have contained the humor for at least ten years; but it did not show, except in the form of a scrofulous sore on the wrist, until about five years ago. From a few spots which appeared at that time, it gradually spread so as to cover his entire body. I assure you he was terribly afflicted, and an object of pity, when he began using your medicine. Now, there are few men of his age who enjoy as good health as he has. I could easily name fifty persons who would testify to the facts in his case.

Yours truly, "W. M. PHILLIPS."

FROM THE FATHER: "It is both a pleasure and a duty for me to state to you the benefit I have derived from the use of

Ayer's Sarsaparilla.

Six months ago I was completely covered with a terrible humor and my face was one sore. The humor caused an intolerable and intolerable itching, and the skin cracked so as to compel the blood to flow in many places whenever I moved. My sufferings were great, and my life a burden. I commenced the use of the SARSAPARILLA in April last, and have used it regularly since that time. My condition began to improve at once. The sores have all healed, and I feel perfectly well in every respect—being now able to do a good day's work, although 69 years of age. Many inquire what has wrought such a cure in my case, and I tell them, as I have here tried to tell you, AYER'S SARSAPARILLA. Glover, Vt., Oct. 21, 1886. Yours gratefully,

HIRAM PHILLIPS."

AYER'S SARSAPARILLA cures Scrofula and all Scrofulous Complaints, Erysipelas, Eczema, Ringworm, Blotches, Sores, Boils, Tumors, and Eruptions of the Skin. It clears the blood of all impurities, aids digestion, stimulates the action of the bowels, and thus restores vitality and strengthens the whole system.

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WASHINGTON.

The Condition of the Wheat Crop as Reported to the Agricultural Department.

Senator Vest's Plan for a New Bridge Across the Mississippi River at St. Louis.

Filibustering in the House to Prevent the Passage of Bills for Erecting Public Buildings.

Other National Notes.

WHEAT CROP REPORTS FOR APRIL.

WASHINGTON, April 11.—The April returns of the Department of Agriculture make the winter wheat area about 27,600,000 acres. This is nearly the breadth sown of the previous crop, of which between five and six per cent. was subsequently plowed up, leaving 26,400,000 acres to be harvested. Compared with the area harvested the present breadth is an increase of five per cent. There is an increase of about 1,500,000 acres on the Pacific coast, and nearly 750,000 acres in the Southern States. There is a small increase in the Middle States and a slight decrease in the Ohio basin. In April, 1887, the average was 86, and 87 in April, 1881. Among the State averages are the following: Illinois, 93; Ohio, 98; Michigan, 94. The rye area averages 99 per cent; condition, 99 per cent.

PROPOSED RAILWAY BRIDGE.

Senator Vest reported from the Committee on Commerce a bill granting authority to the Illinois & Missouri Railway Company to build a bridge across the Mississippi River at any point north of Grand avenue, in the city of St. Louis. If located below a point four and one-half miles above Grand avenue, the bridge is to be made with unbroken and continuous spans, and to have at least two channel spans of not less than 450 feet clear in width of the channelway each, or one span of 500 feet clear width, and clear head room under each span of not less than fifty feet above high water. If placed more than four and one-half miles above Grand avenue, the bridge may be a low bridge with one draw of pivot span opening not less than four hundred feet clear of the channelway, and if such opening is not easily accessible to all classes of boats at all stages of water a second opening is to be provided for. All railroad companies are to have equal rights to transportation by the bridge upon the payment of reasonable compensation. Plans for the bridge must be approved by the Secretary of War before its construction is begun.

PUBLIC BUILDING BILLS.

The House has resumed its grind on the Public Building bills, and seems likely to keep it up for a week or two. Of the fifty-five public building bills on the calendar, calling for the appropriation of over $5,000,000, Illinois has two—one for the purchase of additional grounds at Springfield, and the other for the erection of a building at Chicago for the use of the Customs Appraisers. The Springfield bill appropriates $250,000, and the one for Chicago $50,000. The bill for Springfield reads the tenth on the list, and that for Chicago the twentieth; so at the present rate they will not be reached for some days. Iowa seems to fare pretty well, her Keokuk building having passed, while another, for $100,000 for a building at Council Bluffs, stands seventh on the list. Wisconsin has two—Oshkosh and La Crosse—for $100,000 each, but they are well down towards the foot of the list. Minnesota has two—Duluth and Winona—for $100,000 each.

PROPOSED TEST VOTE.

For the purpose of obtaining a square test vote on the merits of the Tariff bill, Mr. Kelley will demand the yeas and nays on a motion to go into committee of the whole for its consideration, if such motion is made by Morrison Tuesday next.

HOUSE.

When the House met yesterday Mr. Eaton reported the senate bill for the election of President and Vice-President with an amendment in the nature of a substitute. This amendment provides that the State Electors shall meet on the second Monday in December at an appointed place, that on the second Tuesday in the January following the House and Senate in joint convention shall count the votes from the certificates of the Electors, the result being delivered to the joint presiding officer, who shall announce the person so elected in case of an adoption to the vote of any State, made in writing and signed by three members of the joint convention, the returns objected to shall be laid aside, debated for three hours, and voted up or down upon. The contest over the Public Buildings bill was resumed. Mr. Warner raised the point of no quorum. Mr. Belford demanded the yeas and nays on the question of the House as robbery, and declared that the House should have passed a general order giving each member at least one public building, so that it where it would do the most good. This set of laughter added to the din on the floor, when Mr. Aiken injured which, Mr. Holman could not hold out to the bill under discussion. Mr. Holman smilingly replied that the measure was unusually meritorious. This caused Mr. Monon to twit the "cerberus of the treasury" on his "sudden access of liberality as soon as Indiana was reached." The bill for the New Albany building was laid aside favorably. The same action was taken on the measure to increase the appropriation for the Fifth street building to $1,050,000 and that to appropriate $100,000 for a building in Chattanooga, Tenn. During the whole day there was much noise, but the members were all in good humor, and no bad blood was exhibited until the bill for a public building at Augusta, Me., was reached, when Messrs. Milliken and Storm indulged in warm language, during which Mr. Milliken answered a query by telling Mr. Storm that it was none of his business. This bill also was laid aside favorably, and the committee arose. The House then adjourned.

SENATE.

In the Senate yesterday morning Mr. Hill introduced a bill to forfeit the land granted the New Orleans, Baton Rouge & Vicksburg Railway. The naval bill was taken up again and Mr. Beck spoke first. He wanted the appropriation for ordnance and dispatch-boats increased to $500,000. This was agreed to. Over the amendment providing for new steel cruisers, a bill for which had already been passed, there was a bitter discussion, during which Mr. McPherson said that this act was disorderous to the Senate, and the House would not agree to it. Mr. Beck objected to duplicating the ships at present in course of construction until their qualities had been tested. Pending action on the amendment the Senate went into executive session and soon adjourned until Monday.

Iowa Brewers to Fight Prohibition.

DES MOINES, April 11.—It is understood that the brewers are organizing in this State to defeat the Prohibition law in a test case in court on constitutional grounds, in that certain members of the Legislature were unqualified for the place.

Lost His Speech Through a Dream.

RACINE, Wis., April 11.—A man named Lotlah, living in this place, was so frightened by a dream he had a few nights ago that he has been speechless ever since.

FROM OTHER LANDS.

Affairs in Cuba, Mexico, Hayti and Egypt in a Most Critical Condition.

Gordon Says that Khartoum Must Be Evacuated Unless Aid Is Tendered Him by England.

England's Bee and Sugar Industries to be Revived—Exploits of Austrian Robbers.

General News.

ALARM IN CUBA.

MADRID, April 11.—News has been received here from Cuba that Aguero's force now numbers 225 men. Of these forty-three are either ex-chiefs of the late insurrections in Cuba or have been otherwise identified with those movements. The remainder are escaped slaves. Four plantations in Cuba have been destroyed by Aguero. It is feared that another filibustering expedition is now fitting out at Turks Island for Cuba. This island is under British dominion.

LONDON, April 11.—The *Times'* dispatch from Madrid speaks as follows: "The signs of the approach of a serious economical crisis in Cuba are daily increasing. The continuous fall in sugar is bringing ruin and disaster. Unless radical measures of relief are speedily adopted, the long-suffering Cubans will be driven to courses disastrous for all. If Cuba is to be saved, the cost of living must be reduced, the system of administration and taxation improved, and freer markets obtained for her products."

CITY OF MEXICO, April 11.—Business continues suspended all over the Republic. There is deep feeling at Puebla and troops have been sent there. The riot act is posted on the corners here. The city is very quiet. There is encouraging news from the palace that the Government will agree to require stamps only on goods as sold, and not on those in store; also that there will be concessions in favor of the traders most oppressed by the tax. This will satisfy the merchants, and no further trouble is anticipated.

HAVANA, April 11.—The latest advices from Hayti say that March 20 the Italian transport Conte de Cavour arrived at Port au Prince to seek satisfaction for the taking from an Italian bark at Petit Goave and shooting of two insurgents. The American Minister has demanded $400,000 indemnity for American losses on account of the riots of September last and the surrender of the Mole St. Nicholas as a guarantee; the Germans claim $500,000, the French an equal sum, and the English $250,000. The number of persons killed during the revolution is officially declared to have been seven thousand. Persons implicated in the revolution are disappearing daily.

SUAKIM, April 11.—Sheikh Morghani is expected a letter Wednesday evening from Osman Digma stating that he would, on the 19th instant send Sheikhs to meet Morghani at a spot distant from Suakim two hours' ride and that they would hold a conference with Morghani on the question of an understanding with the Egyptian and British authorities.

CAIRO, April 11.—The differences between Nubar Pasha and Clifford Lloyd have been arranged. Lloyd's duties will here after be limited to the functions of Under Secretary of the Interior and he will be purely an Egyptian official.

LONDON, April 11.—A private letter from General Gordon, dated March 11, says: "If the Government does not intend to relieve us, we had better evacuate immediately."

LONDON, April 11.—Robert Buchanan, the well known poet and dramatist, writes to the *Pall Mall Gazette* that, though the society journals have savagely abused him, he will be sorry if Edmund Yates, the editor of the *World*, be sent to prison, as the imprisonment of journalists is a barbarous practice and unworthy of a civilized country.

A company has been formed to work the sugar factory at Lavenham and revive the beet and sugar industry in England. An output of seventeen thousand tons is expected the first year. At the inaugural dinner given by the company, Sir Lyon Playfair, in a speech, said the company had nothing to fear from American competition.

PRAGUE, April 11.—Robbers wearing policemen's uniforms visited a mill near Topolitz today, and under a pretended warrant imposing the proprietor of being a bad child and forging State papers, compelled him to deliver money and securities amounting to over 40,000 florins. After locking the inmates in the mill the robbers decamped.

Missouri Republican Electors.

ST. LOUIS, April 11.—The following is the list of electors named by the Missouri State Republican Convention Wednesday: At large, Phil A. Thompson, Rev. Mr. Gaines (colored). First District, S. C. Brock; Second, George Hall; Third, W. H. Bowsley; Fourth, Lyman Parker; Fifth, Roderick B. Johnson; Sixth, J. W. Moore; Seventh, L. A. Thompson; Eighth, Gus Sessinghaus; Ninth, Nathan Cole; Tenth, C. A. Newcomb; Eleventh, Ellis C. Evans; Twelfth, R. C. Macbeth; Thirteenth, Solon Spencer; Fourteenth, W. W. Cramer.

The new State Central Committee was also elected, with William Warner of Kansas City, Chairman.

The Luther Statue Arrives.

BALTIMORE, April 11.—The steamer Hohenzollern arrived Wednesday with the grand bronze statue of Martin Luther, which is to be erected in Washington city in May. The statue weighs above three tons, is eleven and a half feet in height and a perfect fac-simile of Luther's figure in the famous reformation group at Worms, having been cast in the same original mold and at the same foundry in Saxony.

Unpaid Railroad Men on a Strike.

DAYTON, O., April 11.—The employes of the Toledo, Cincinnati & St. Louis Road between here and Cincinnati struck yesterday for wages due for the month of February and March. The strike is becoming general over the entire line. All trains except the mail train were stopped. The road has not paid off for nearly three months. Merchants are refusing the men further credit.

Lost His Sample Case.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 11.—H. Streicher, a drummer for a Chicago house, has lost a sample case containing $1,000 worth of jewelry in this city. A porter who helped carry the cases around called at a certain store Thursday morning, saying he had been sent by Streicher, secured the case and disappeared.

The character of the testimonials to the merits of Athlophoros are as marked and exceptional as the remedy itself is among medicines. They come from conscientious, careful-speaking people, who are not easily deceived, and do not take stock in remedies without virtue. For instance, J. R. Carr, the President of Blackwell's Durham Tobacco Co. writes: "Have known Athlophoros to give entire relief in cases of Neuralgia in head and face. I unhesitatingly recommend it to persons suffering with Neuralgia and Rheumatism. This is the first testimonial I have ever given for any preparation, but I am so well pleased with Athlophoros that I deem it a duty."

SEARCHING FOR THE DEAD.

Terrible Sights Witnessed in the Pocahontas Mine—Three Bodies Recovered.

POCAHONTAS, VA., April 11.—The gang of workmen engaged in making the last preparations for entering the mines where the recent terrible disaster occurred completed their task yesterday. The miners and laborers this morning broke down the last barrier around the entrance, and a rush of terribly foul air ensued. When the main gallery had been partially ventilated the men moved into the mine and commenced a systematic exploration of the interior. Near the entrance three bodies were discovered half-buried in debris and mud. The shattered remnants of humanity were conveyed to the surface. One of them was unrecognizable, having had the head, both legs and one arm blown off. As the exploring party progressed downward the foul air became so stifling that several were overcome and returned to the surface. On a lower level there was a general halt because of the overpowering stench. The spectacle at the upper end of the chamber was revolting in the extreme. Huddled together in inextricable confusion were the mangled bodies of about thirty miners. Heads, legs, arms and fragments of bodies were scattered around in every direction, and evidences of the great force of the explosion were plainly visible in the shattered walls of coal surrounding the scene. The odor was so strong that it was impossible for the men to proceed farther, and they returned to the surface. The Superintendent at once gave orders for repairing the immense fan, which will be used to ventilate the mine. All day the available laborers of the village have been busily engaged digging a series of graves for the dead. A long trench has been dug, and there all the unclaimed dead will be buried. To-day it is thought the greater part of the bodies will be brought to the surface.

A Coming Banquet.

CHICAGO, April 11.—The Iroquois Club have about completed their arrangements for their annual banquet which will be held at the Palmer House next Tuesday, April 15. A reception will be held in the club rooms Tuesday afternoon, from three to five o'clock, in order to give the members an opportunity of becoming personally acquainted with the guests and speakers invited to the banquet.

The following gentlemen have accepted invitations to be present: Senator George H. Pendleton, Governor Hoadly, of Ohio, J. Sterling Morton, Colonel W. C. P. Breckenridge, Hon. David Turpie, Indiana, Hon. Richard B. Hubbard, Texas, Colonel W. F. Vilas; Bayless W. Hanna, Indiana, Frank Hurd, Ohio; James H. Reagan, Texas, M. M. Ham, Iowa; General J. C. Black, Danville.

The following are the toasts arranged by the Political Committee, to be responded to as follows:

"Reform of the Civil Service"—Senator G. H. Pendleton.

"The Just Reward of Labor, the Safety of the State"—Governor George Hoadly.

"Reduction of Taxation"—J. Sterling Morton.

"The Party of the People"—Hon. David Turpie.

"The Industrious Union of Indestructible States"—Colonel W. C. P. Breckenridge.

"The County Campaign"—Hon. Richard B. Hubbard.

"Corruption in Politics Dangerous to Free Institutions"—Hon. Bayless W. Hanna.

"Commercial Freedom"—Frank Hurd.

The Fire Record.

MILWAUKEE, WIS., April 11.—The Upham Manufacturing Company's large steam saw-mill at Marshfield was wholly destroyed by fire Wednesday night. The fire originated in the engine room and spread so rapidly that all efforts to battle the flames were futile. The loss is $75,000.

PENSACOLA, FLA., April 11.—A fire destroyed the Louisville & Nashville freight depot, the Gulf mills, the transfer stable, the Hoffman House, a restaurant, two stores, the Masonic building, and several minor buildings. Loss $65,000.

DETROIT, MICH., April 11.—At 12:30 o'clock this morning a fire broke out in the building occupied by Dickinson & Co., subscription book publishers, and the *Daily Times* office. The editorial and composing rooms of the latter were completely burned out. Dickinson & Co.'s premises are also thoroughly ravaged by fire and water. The loss to the latter can not be ascertained tonight. The loss to the former is several thousand dollars.

Sheriff Fights a Five-Hour Battle.

PHILADELPHIA, PA., April 11.—William Sheriff, "the Prussian," and John Welsh fought here yesterday, beginning at 4 10 o'clock and standing to each other for five hours, during which seventy-three rounds were fought. The match ended in a draw by mutual consent. Sheriff is a mass of bruises, and Welsh is terribly swollen about the face. Welsh had been in training for weeks and was in splendid condition. Sheriff weighed one hundred and sixty-five pounds, and his opponent was ten pounds lighter. Arthur Chambers and Harry Hicken seconded "the Prussian," and Johnny Clark and Frank Gormley performed the same office for Welsh. Squire McMullen acted as referee. The fight continued round after round until neither man could strike a blow.

Killed and Maimed by a Falling Elevator.

GOSHEN, Ind., April 11.—The beam to which an elevator in the Hawkes Furniture Company's factory was fastened broke yesterday morning, dropping the elevator from the third to the first floor, about twenty-five feet. Horace Rice, aged sixteen, was fatally injured by falling upon the loaded elevator in its descent and fracturing his skull. Schuyler Deh camp, aged seventeen, standing on the elevator as it fell was very seriously injured by the concussion and Harry Drake, aged seventeen, fell upon the elevator, injuring a leg. The last named was able to walk home.

The Wisconsin State House Being Rebuilt.

MADISON, WIS., April 11.—Work has been commenced on the south wing of the State House, which was wrecked the 8th of November last. The wing will be reconstructed on new and greatly improved plans, and the contractors expect to have it under cover within a month. They hope to have their entire contract on both wings completed by August 1 next.

Pedestrian Contest.

CHICAGO, April 11.—A seventy-five hour straight heel-and-toe walking match was begun at Battery D Armory Wednesday night at 8:30 o'clock between Daniel O'Leary and Henry Schmehl, for $400 a side, two thirds of the gate money to go to the winner. At midnight the score stood O'Leary, 100 miles, 11 laps, Schmehl, 101 miles, 2 laps.

Woman Suffrage in Nova Scotia.

HALIFAX, N. S., April 11.—The Nova Scotia Legislature extended the franchise in municipal elections to widows and married women.

The Echo.

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A TRAGIC EVENT

A Father's Despair and Self-Inflicted Death. His Son's Final Rescue. Too Late to Save His Parent.

The graphic occurrence that is described below is one of the most remarkable episodes in the domestic history of America. It is absolute truth which can readily be verified.

The inhabitants of the pleasant town of Corliss, N. H., were shocked one morning by the announcement that Mr. Clinton Rindge, one of the most prominent citizens, had committed suicide. The news spread rapidly and around the entire neighborhood where Mr. Rindge was well and favorably known. At first it seemed impossible that any one so quiet and domestic could do so rash a deed, and the inquiry was heard on every side as to the cause. The facts developed on investigation proved to be as follows:

Mr. Rindge was domestic in his tastes and took the greatest enjoyment in the society of his children and pride in their development. And indeed he had good reason to be proud for they were prominent long before of success and usefulness. But an evil day came. His youngest son William began to show signs of an early decay. He felt unusually tired, cold, and would sometimes sleep the entire afternoon if permitted to do so. He had pained him, not acutely, but with a dull heavy feeling. There was also a sensation at the pit of his stomach. He not all relish for food and much of his interest for things about him. He tried manfully to overcome those feelings, but they seemed stronger than his will. He began to lose flesh rapidly. The father became alarmed and consulted physicians as to the cause of his son's illness, but they were unable to explain. Finally a sore seemed to break out on his arms and he was taken to Buffalo where a painful operation was performed requiring the loss of much blood but affording little relief. The young man returned home and a council of physicians was called. After an exhaustive examination they declared there was no hope of final recovery and that he must die within a very few days. To describe the agony which this announcement caused the father would be impossible. His mind failed to grasp its full meaning at first, then hardly seemed to comprehend it, but the dread was too great. In an agony of frenzy he seized a knife and took his own life, preferring death rather than to survive his idolized son. At that time William Rindge was too weak to know what was transpiring. His face had turn n of black, his breath was almost gone, and his friends waited for his death believing that the fiend Bright's disease of the kidneys from which he was suffering, could not be removed. In this supreme moment William's son came forward and declared she would make a final attempt to save her brother. The doctors interposed, claiming her efforts were useless and that she would only hasten the end by the measures she proposed to employ. But she was firm, and putting all hands aforesaid her brother's side and administered a remedy which she fortunately had on hand. Within an hour it seemed more easy, and before the day was over he showed signs of decided improvement. These favorable signs continued and to day William B. Rindge is well, having been virtually raised from the dead through the marvelous virtues of Warner's Safe Cure as can be readily verified by any citizen of Portland.

No one who dwells on the facts above described can doubt the power of Warner's Safe Cure as can be readily verified by any citizen of Portland.

No one who dwells on the facts above described can doubt have a feeling of sadness if order dead by his own hand, supposing his son's recovery to be impossible, the son restored to health to mourn the loss of his father and the agonized relatives with a memory of sadness to forever darken their lives. Had Clinton Rindge known that his son could recover he would today be alive and happy, but the facts which turned his brain and caused him to commit suicide we cannot as yet we would accept as true.

However of the 100 many thousands that thousands of people are at the present moment as great as that of Mr. William Rindge and as near death's door causing misery if not death to their friend. Liver and kidney diseases are become the most common and most dangerous of any. All modern complaints. They are the most deceptive in their beginning and most fatal in their final stages. They are far more deceptive than consumption, and can rarely be detected even by skilful physicians unless a microscopic analysis be resorted, and few doctors understand how to do it. Their slightest approach, or possibility of approach should strike terror to the one who is threatened as it does to all his or her friends. These diseases have to the latest symptoms, but come in the form of insatiable loss of appetite, aching muscles and joints, dull headache pains in the back, stands and side, sour stomach, recurrent stretches of cold, irregular pulsations of the heart and frequent dizziness. If neglected it is sure to develop into the dreadful kidney and liver or Bright's disease from which there is sure to be a great amount of suffering and only one means of cure, which is by the use of Warner's Safe Cure. The importance of taking this great remedy upon the slightest appearance of any of the above symptoms cannot be too strongly impressed upon the minds of readers who desire to escape death and to lead prolong life with all the pleasures and blessings.

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AN OLD COUPLE BUTCHERED

Mr. and Mrs. Nehemiah Fleetwood Found Murdered in Their Bed Near Charleston, Ill.

An Attempt Made by the Assassin to Burn the House and Hide Victims' Bodies.

James Winkelback, a Farm-Hand, Arrested for the Crime—Almost Conclusive Evidence.

Slain in Their Sleep.

AN ATROCIOUS MURDER.

MATTOON, Ill., April 11.—A double murder was committed near the small town of Hardin seven miles northeast of Charleston, Coles County, yesterday morning, Nehemiah Fleetwood and wife, both aged about sixty years, lived in a two-story house upon their farm, and occupied sleeping apartments upon the lower floor. An unmarried daughter, aged about twenty, a hired man named James Winkleback, and a small child were the only other occupants of the house. The family retired early Wednesday night, and shortly afterward the young lady heard Winkleback, as she supposed, get up and go down stairs. She did not think it an unusual occurrence, and was soon partially asleep. She was partially aroused a second time by a noise as if some one was striking blows down stairs, but soon dozed again. She became conscious of a smell of smoke in the room about ten o'clock, and called to the young man that the house was on fire. He answered her immediately, and told her to jump out of the window. The daughter went down stairs at once and discovered that the bed in which her father and mother were lying was on fire. While Winkleback, at her order, reluctantly departed to arouse the neighbors, she extinguished the fire and found that the old folks' throats were cut in a horrible manner, their heads being also crushed. When the neighbors arrived Winkleback was suspected but no traces could be found of the murderer. Early this morning a large crowd commenced to hunt for a clew. Winkleback's ax was missing, but he said he had left it in the woods. The well was pumped dry, however, and in the bottom was found the ax, covered with blood and hair. Blood spots were found upon the pantaloons he wore, but he had donned a clean white shirt and no trace of the dirty one could be found, and he refused to give any explanation. He made a bold denial of having committed the murder when questioned before the Coroner's jury. Sheriff Hamilton placed him under arrest and started for the jail at Charleston. A crowd of five hundred who had assembled at the scene of the murder threatened to lynch him before morning. The old folks had no money, and the motive for the murder is a mystery.

CHARLESTON, Ill., April 11.—Deputy Sheriff Dwyer has just arrived in this city with James Winkleback, to whom circumstances point very positively as the murderer of the Fleetwoods. He succeeded in getting his man away from the crowd and landed him safely in jail. A revolver with which he is supposed to have shot Mrs. Fleetwood twice has been found. Two chambers are empty. Winkleback acknowledges it as his revolver. He was very much frightened and glad to get behind the bars.

MERGED INTO LARGER LINES.

Two Small Wisconsin Railroads Transferred to Wealthier Rivals.

MADISON, Wis., April 11.—A warrantee deed was recorded by the Secretary of State Wednesday, of the sale of the Cedar Falls & Northern Railway Company to the Menominee Railway Company. The former extends from Cedar Falls south twenty five miles to the main line of the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad. The Menominee Railroad extends from Menominee three miles north to about the same point on the Omaha main line. The Menominee railway company, however, has the perpetual right of the use of the connection portion of Omaha track between the two points of junction. The transfer was made on Dec. 17, in consideration of one dollar and other good and valuable considerations not mentioned in the deed.

A warrantee deed of sale of the Eau Claire & Chippewa Falls Railway Company to the Chicago, St. Paul, Minneapolis & Omaha Railroad Company was recorded Wednesday. The former road extends from Eau Claire to a point in Lafayette Township, opposite Chippewa Falls a distance of a little over ten miles. The deed sets forth that the line sold was built by money furnished by the Omaha company to the extent of $124,555, which is the consideration of the transfer. Both indentures are signed on the part of the sellers by E. W. Winter and C. W. Porter as President and Secretary, respectively.

Ross Downed by McLaughlin.

DETROIT, Mich., April 11.—The second wrestling match between Ross, of Cleveland and McLaughlin, of this city, occurred last night. The match was for $1,000 a side, the receipts of the house, and the mixed wrestling championship. There were two falls collar-and-elbow, two side-hold, and one catch as-catch-can, in jackets. The first bout, collar-and-elbow, lasted seven minutes, and was won by McLaughlin, the second, side-hold, by Ross in four minutes, the third, collar-and-elbow, in two minutes by McLaughlin, the fourth, side hold, in one minute by Ross, and the fifth, catch-as-catch-can, in eight minutes by McLaughlin. At the conclusion of the match McLaughlin challenged the Japanese athlete Matsada Sorakichi, who had come up with the Cleveland party, but, as the Jap insisted on wrestling without jackets, nothing came of the challenge.

Terrible Suicide Caused by a Family Quarrel.

SHELBYVILLE, Ill., April 11.—Mrs. Ursany died in great agony at her home near Stewardson Wednesday. About a week or ten days since she quarreled with her husband, and during his absence saturated her clothing with kerosene and ignited it with a match. Returning sooner than was expected her husband found her in the door-yard enveloped in flames. He succeeded in smothering the flames, but the woman was fatally burned. Sickness is believed to have unsettled her mind. She leaves a large family.

Voltaire, the Trotting Stallion, Dead.

PEORIA, Ill., April 11.—The trotting stallion Voltaire died yesterday at the stock farm of C. B. Allaire, having been brought thither from Kentucky, where he was partially owned. The horse had a record of 2 20¾ and was valued at $6,500.

Griggs' Glycerine Salve.

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FOUND DEAD AT THE FALLS.

A Wealthy Citizen Commits Murder and Walks Into the Niagara Cataract.

NIAGARA FALLS, N. Y., April 11.—A startling tragedy took place Wednesday night on Luna Island. Thomas Vedder, a wealthy citizen of Suspension Bridge, is supposed to have shot and killed his brother-in-law, and then committed suicide by walking into the cataract. Vedder and V. R. Pierson, of Suspension Bridge, drove on Goat Island Wednesday afternoon. As they had not returned at a late hour search was made for them, and about three o'clock in the morning Pierson's body was found on Luna Island with a bullet-hole behind the right ear, and Vedder's clothes were found lying near him. The gate keeper at Goat Island remembered that they had gone over at six o'clock, but could not tell whether they had returned. On the island the horse and buggy were found. The revolver was not found. Policeman Burns, who helped find the body said that the search was made with dark lanterns, and he could see no indications of a struggle. The body was found on a bleak, icy promontory. There are footprints in the snow as if a man had walked right off the brink into the cataract itself, and no return foot prints are visible. From the position in which Pierson's body was found and the expression of the face death must have been instantaneous. The body was taken later to an undertaking-room. Vedder's watch was missing, but Pierson's watch and four dollars in money were found in his pockets. Vedder's body has not been found. Pierson was married to Vedder's sister, his first wife being also a sister of the missing man. He leaves a wife and four children. Pierson, who drank heavily, was local treasurer of the New York Central Railroad, a position which he has held since the road was started. He has been regarded as a sort of mild crank for two years past. He was recently discharged but was reinstated. Thomas Vedder was unmarried, and was worth $150,000.

LEFT OTHERS TO PAY.

Cashier Hubbard, of Monmouth, Absconds—A Warrant Issued for His Arrest.

MONMOUTH, Ill., April 11.—Hubbard, the defaulting cashier of the suspended First National Bank, was present Wednesday assisting the State's Attorney and the bank officials in examining the books and determining the amount of his defalcation. He was to have been in attendance yesterday also, but when the officials met it was found he had absconded. A watch is said to have been placed on his house Wednesday night, but he eluded them, and his family will say nothing on the subject. It is thought he left for the West. A warrant has been issued for his arrest. According to reports the stockholders will have to stand good for about $43,451, but the bank examiner has not yet prepared a statement. Many receipts are turning up reading thus "Received the sum of ——— dollars for investment. Signed, B. F. O. Hubbard." It is thought Hubbard has received over $50,000 on these receipts, which are now worthless. The complaint says he embezzled money to the amount of $114,300. The stockholders will hold a meeting to-day to decide what steps to take, as it is understood that if the deficiency is made good in sixty days the bank may resume. Several of the heaviest holders are in favor of continuing business.

Congressional Nominations.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., April 11.—The Seventh District Republican Congressional Convention yesterday nominated Hon. Stanton J. Peele to succeed himself in Congress. He will probably be opposed by W. E. English.

LOGANSPORT, Ind., April 11.—It has been decided to hold the Republican Congressional Convention of this (the Tenth) district at Monticello June 26.

CRAWFORDSVILLE, Ind., April 11.—The Eighth District Republican Congressional Convention will be held here July 10.

NEWCASTLE, Ind., April 11.—Thomas M. Browne, the present incumbent received the Republican nomination for Congress at the Sixth District Convention held here yesterday.

ELGIN, Ill., April 11.—Congressman Reuben Ellwood was renominated by acclamation by the Fifth District Republican Convention at Elgin yesterday. Resolutions were passed expressing confidence in and approval of the administration of President Arthur, but calling for the nomination of General Logan.

A "Thirteen Club."

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., April 11.—Among the certificates of incorporation granted by the Secretary of State yesterday was that of the Thirteen Club of the city of Chicago, no capital stock, incorporators Francis H. Hill, Richard S. McGowen, Benjamin R. Hall, William Edgar Hill and, H. Parker George M. Aykroyd, Joseph L. Coles, F. O. Griffin, W. H. Bolton, James Duncan, John McKinley, Edward S. Jordon and James H. Delace.

The object of the club is stated to be to combat all superstitions believed to be at variance with the enlightened intelligence of the present century, besides assisting the members thereof, in case of sickness or their families in case of death. All assistance to be purely voluntary.

Six Men Drowned.

BOSTON, April 11.—The fishing schooner Zenobia which arrived yesterday brought the crew of the British schooner George Calhoun, which was abandoned in latitude 41 10 longitude 65 50. The Calhoun of the Fishtank fell in with the Gloucester schooner Nelson Y. McFarland in a sinking condition, and attempted to rescue her crew. She had a boat stove in and thereby six men were drowned. The Calhoun herself was in so bad a condition from the rough weather that her crew gladly accepted the offer of the Zenobia's Captain to take them off when she sighted them on Sunday. The names of the lost men are not given.

Sudden Death of a Prominent Banker.

NEW YORK, April 11.—Samuel C. Thompson, President of the Chase National Bank and one of the leading financiers of this city, died of apoplexy in the bank office yesterday afternoon. He was the son of John Thompson, the venerable Wall street operator, and was just fifty years of age. He became identified with the First National in 1862 and in 1874 left it to organize the wealthy Chase National. He leaves a widow and one son and a large fortune.

New Mexican Cattle Association.

RATON, N. M., April 11.—The meeting of the Northern New Mexico Stock-Growers' Association at Springer adjourned Tuesday night. The membership was almost doubled. The association now represents six hundred thousand cattle and $25,000,000 to $40,000,000 capital. O. A. Hadley, ex-Governor of Arkansas, is President and J. C. Leary Secretary next year.

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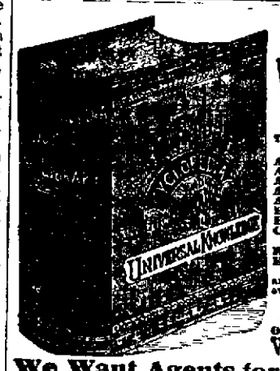

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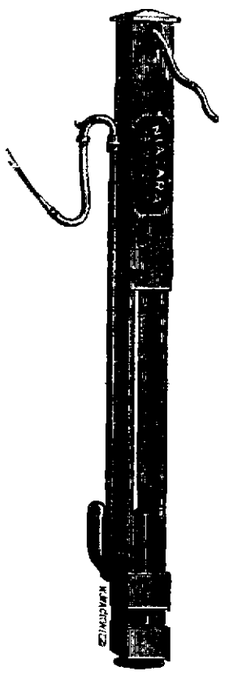

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Administrator's Notice.

Estate of Jacob Stutzman, Deceased.

THE undersigned, having been appointed administrator of the estate of Jacob Stutzman late of the county of Macon, and state of Illinois deceased, hereby gives notice that he will appear before the county court of Macon county at the court house in Decatur, at the May term on the third Monday in May next at which time all persons having claims against said estate are notified and requested to attend for the purpose of having the same adjusted. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make immediate payment to the undersigned.

Dated this 12th day of March, 1884.

CHARLES LAUX, Administrator.

WALKER & WALKER, Attys. m13

Chancery Notice.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

In the Circuit Court to the May term, 1884.

John Sheehan and Mary Sheehan by I. D. Walker her Conservator } vs. James Sheehan and James Beldon } Partition.

AFFIDAVIT of the non residence of James Sheehan and James Beldon above named defendants having been filed in the office of the clerk of said circuit court of Macon county, notice is hereby given to the said James Sheehan and James Beldon that the complainants heretofore filed their bill of complaint in said court on the chancery side thereof and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against said defendants returnable at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county, on the second Monday of May next 1884 as is by law required which said suit is still pending and undetermined in said circuit court.

F. McCLELLAN, Circuit Clerk.

March 8, 1884.

WALKER & WALKER, Sol's for Complainants. m8tf

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE is hereby given to the creditors and all concerned that by deed of assignment duly executed acknowledged and recorded in the Recorder's office of Macon County, in the State of Illinois the firm of Dunnen & Doyle, late merchants doing business in the city of Decatur, in said County as partners under said firm name, made transfer and assignment of their partnership effects for the benefit of their firm creditors under the provisions of the act of the General Assembly of said state entitled an act concerning voluntary assignments and conferring jurisdiction thereon upon courts on the 5th day of March A. D. 1861, and that in pursuance of said assignment and said act of assembly I as such assignee have filed in the office of the county clerk of said county an inventory of said assigned estate together with my bond as required by law and have entered upon the duties of such trust. You are further notified as creditors that you are required to file your respective claims against said assignors with me within three months from the 10th day of March 1884.

RANS S. BOHON, Assignee.

Decatur Ill. March 8 1884. m9 10w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

In the Circuit Court of the May Term, A. D., 1884.

Philip Ruebsamen vs. Martin Fisher, Philip Fisher, Mary A. Fisher, Dora Fisher, Lizzie Fisher, George Fisher, John Fisher, Charles Fisher, George Ruebsamen, Jacob Ruebsamen, Christiana Klohr, Edward Harpstrite, Emma Harpstrite, Bertha Harpstrite, Kate Ullrich, Mary Harpstrite, Sophia Harpstrite, Charles Harpstrite, Edward Harpstrite, John Harpstrite.

AFFIDAVIT having been filed in this cause in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county of the non residence of John Harpstrite one of the said defendants public notice is hereby given that Philip Ruebsamen heretofore filed his bill of complaint in the circuit court of said Macon county on the chancery side thereof praying for partition of lands in said bill described, that a summons thereupon issued out of said office of said clerk of the circuit court of said county to the sheriff of said county returnable on the first day of the May term of said court to be holden at Decatur on the

SECOND MONDAY OF MAY, A. D. 1884.

Now unless you the said John Harpstrite shall be and appear to demur plead to or answer said bill of complaint a default will be entered against you in said cause and the allegations of said bill be confessed to be true.

March 15 1884.

L. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

D. HUTCHINSON, Atty. m15 30

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss In the Circuit Court to the May Term A. D. 1884.

Michael Rozzoll vs. Indianapolis Decatur and Springfield Railway Company.

NOTICE is hereby given to the defendant in the above entitled cause that a suit entitled as above has been commenced and is now pending in the circuit court of said Macon county and that summons has been issued thereon directed to the sheriff of said Macon county and that said summons has been returned by said sheriff with the endorsement that he cannot in his county find any clerk, secretary, superintendent, general agent, cashier, principal director, engineer, conductor, station agent or any other agent of said company.

Now unless you, the said Indianapolis Decatur and Springfield Railway Company shall be and appear at the court house in the city of Decatur in said county on the first day of the next term of said court to be held on the second Monday in the month of May A. D. 1884 and plead or demur to the said plaintiff's declaration filed in said cause a judgment will be rendered against you by default.

L. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Plff's Atty. mar29iw

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss In the Circuit Court, to the May Term A. D. 1884.

Frank Henkle vs. Anna B. Henkle } Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT of the non-residence of Anna B. Henkle having been filed in the cause, take notice that a bill has been filed in said court by Frank Henkle and said cause is now pending in said court and a summons issued returnable on the first day of the May term of said court, that being May 12th, 1884 to be held in the courthouse in the city of Decatur in said county and state.

Therefore, unless you, Anna B. Henkle appear and demur plead to or answer and defend said bill of complaint a default will be entered against you and the allegations in said bill held confessed to be true.

L. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

D. HUTCHISON, Comp. Sol. mar29iw

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss In the Circuit Court of Macon County, May Term 1884.

Hickman L. Foster vs. Frances A. Shields, John Shields senior, et al } Mechanic's Lien.

Affidavit having been filed in the office of the clerk of the circuit court of Macon county that John Shields, senr., one of the above named defendants in said cause, now pending in said court is a non resident of the state of Illinois.

Therefore, notice is hereby given that unless you the said John Shields, senior, shall appear at the next term of said court on the first day thereof to be held at the circuit court room in the city of Decatur in said county on the second Monday in the month of May A. D. 1884 and plead answer or demur to the said petition the same and the matters therein alleged will be taken as true against you and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.

L. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

ALBERT G. WELPER, Solicitor Petitioner. 3ma9ow

NOTICE IN ATTACHMENT.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss

In the Circuit Court to the May term, A. D. 1884.

C. ATTEMAN & Co. vs. L. L. WHEELER } Attachment.

PUBLIC NOTICE is hereby given to the said L. L. Wheeler that a writ of attachment issued out of the office of the clerk of the circuit court of said Macon county, dated the 10th day of April, A. D., 1884, at the suit of the above named plaintiff and against the lands goods and chattels of the said defendant, for the sum of three hundred and thirty dollars and eighty five cents directed to the sheriff of said Macon county to execute, returnable according to law. Now, therefore, unless you, the said L. L. Wheeler, shall personally be and appear before the said circuit court on the first day of the next term thereof, to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur in said Macon county, on the

Second Monday in May, A. D., 1884,

give bail and plead to the said plaintiff's action, judgment will be entered against you and in favor of the said plaintiff and so much of the property and effects attached as may be sufficient to satisfy the said judgment and costs, will be sold to satisfy the same.

L. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

I. A. BUCKINGHAM, Plaintiff's Att'y. ai2 3w

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STATE OF ILLINOIS, MACON COUNTY } ss In the Circuit Court, To the May Term 1884.

Helen A. Brady vs. Harry C. Brady. } Divorce.

AFFIDAVIT having been filed in the office of the Clerk of said Macon County Circuit Court, showing that the above named Harry C. Brady, defendant in the above entitled cause, now pending in said court, is a non-resident of the state of Illinois; notice is hereby given that unless you, the said Harry C. Brady, shall be and appear at the next term of said court to be held at the court house in the city of Decatur, in said county, on the second Monday in the month of May, A. D. 1884, and plead, answer, or demur to said bill of complaint the same and the matters therein stated and charged will be taken as true and a decree rendered in accordance with the prayer thereof.

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THE REVIEW.

SATURDAY, APRIL 12, 1884.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR ALDERMAN.

James W. Haddleson is announced as a candidate for Alderman in the Second Ward.

At the earnest solicitation of many friends, John Lilly has consented to the use of his name as a candidate for Alderman in the Fourth Ward.

Z. T. Coover is a candidate for alderman in the Fifth Ward, and promises, if elected, to discharge the duties of the office with fairness and fidelity.

At the urgent request of many voters, representing all portions of the Second ward, L. F. Mozzy has consented to become a candidate for Alderman of the same at the ensuing city election.

James Dougherty is announced as an Independent candidate for Alderman from the Fifth ward.

William Schroll of the 3d ward is hereby announced as a candidate for alderman.

John Doherty is hereby announced as a candidate for alderman for the Fifth ward.

Having been urged by many of our leading business men and voters of the Third Ward, without regard to opinion or party, to become a candidate for Alderman, I hereby announce myself as a candidate for that position, without pledge or promise other than, if elected to represent the interest of the tax-payers of the Third ward and the city to the best of my ability.

WILLIAM H. STARR.

LOCAL PARAGRAPHS.

To-morrow is Easter Sunday.

The "5 Queens" will be here next week.

Trades Assembly ball Monday evening.

The city election will take place on Tuesday.

Burt's Gents' Waukenphasts at L. L. Ferriss & Co.'s. a5tf

Yesterday was the fairest day we have enjoyed this week.

The Wabash track is to be doubled between Tilton and Newell.

The congressional district convention met at Clinton yesterday.

Lowest prices in the city, at Fleury's One Price Clothing House. a1dtf

Dry stove wood, cord wood and chunks at McClelland's, Telephone 21. j8dtf

Secure reserved seats at Curtis & Co.'s, on Monday morning for Joseph Cook's lecture.

Blank & Grass have hung a neat sign in front of their paint shop on Prairie street.

New spring and summer underwear, at Fleury's One Price Clothing house. apr2-tf

English Waukenphast style gents' shoes in great variety at L. L. Ferris & Co.'s. a5tf

Eggs are now selling at 15 cents per dozen, which is something like a reasonable price.

"The "5 Queens" will not fail to appear next week. They must be seen to be appreciated.

The "5 Queens" cannot attend the convention at Peoria on account of engagements here.

The subject of Joseph Cook's lecture will be the "Seven Modern Wonders of the World."

Mt. Olive and hard coal of all sizes in full supply at McClelland's, opposite postoffice j8dtf.

All the latest spring styles shoes at the large and popular store of L. L. Ferriss & Co. apr5tf

Neckwear in all the latest styles and shades at Fleury's One Price Clothing house. apr2-tf

The city election next Tuesday will not be postponed on account of the coming of the "5 Queens."

75c buys a nice percale shirt, with separate collars and cuffs, at Fleury's, corner old square. a1dtf

Fancy percale shirts, with or without collars attached, at Fleury's One Price Clothing house. apr2-tf

Thomas Fields was arrested and locked up yesterday for assaulting George Baker, on Fleury's corner.

For prompt delivery of clean Mt. Olive coal, either lump or nut, send orders to R. McClelland, Telephone j8dtf

Yesterday being Good Friday, special services were held at the Episcopal, Catholic and Lutheran churches.

Spring shoes, best quality, and lowest prices in the city, at the large and popular store of L. L. Ferriss & Co. apr5tf

The Trades Assembly ball will occur on Monday evening at the Guards' Armory. A splendid time is anticipated.

The new Y. M. C. A. building, at Springfield, is said to be an assured thing. The subscriptions already exceed $18,000.

For stylish trimmed hats and bonnets, in all durable goods, Mrs. M. L. McDonald takes the lead as usual. apl-d&wtf

Easter cards regardless of cost for this day only. Be sure and see our stock and prices before you buy.—J. T. HAND & Co. 1t

The Trades Assembly ball will occur on Easter Monday evening, April 14th, and will be one of the finest dances of the season.

The specifications have been received for the foundation of the new pump. The work of building it will be commenced next week.

John Blenz and H. M. Miller filed claims of $12 65 and $37, yesterday against the estate of Benjamin A. Davis. Both were allowed.

Customers get Cook Books on Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday, April 8th 10th and 12th, at L. L. Ferriss & Co's Popular Shoe Store. ap6td

Street Superintendent Shorb now has a large force of men at work laying the new water main. The work will be completed next week.

Tom Peniwell, the energetic excursion agent of the P., D. & E., is making preparations for his western excursion, which will be run on Tuesday next. Farmers or tourists desiring to go west should apply to Mr. Peniwell immediately. He will do everything in his power to make the trip a pleasant and comfortable one.

Ferguson & Dillehunt have all kinds of seine cord for macremet purposes. Call and see. No. 123 North Water street. feb24-tf

Mrs. M. L. McDonald introduces to the many millinery patrons, Miss Morgan, of Chicago, who as an artist in her line has no superior. apl8 d&wtf

A man by the name of Gilmore, was before 'Squire McGorray yesterday, on a charge of drunkenness. His case was continued until to-day.

Bert Kent arrived home from the land of his ancestors, yesterday. He was one of the party who went from here to the battlefield of Shiloh. I ert had a grand time.

To morrow will be Easter Sunday. We will sell you Easter cards to-day regardless of cost. Be sure and get our price before you buy.—J. T. HAND & Co. 1t

If feeling old—renew your youth ful vigor by using Ayer's Sarsaparilla. It will vitalize the blood, recruit the wasting energies, and build up the system. a81w

Napoleon Workman died at his residence on North Water street, on Tuesday evening, of consumption. His remains will be taken to Vandalia to-day for interment.

We want to close out our stock of Easter Cards to-day, and will sell them at less than first cost. Call and get our prices before you buy.

apl 12 1t J. T. HAND & Co.

If you have a season ticket in the Decatur lecture course, don't forget to go to Curtis & Co's on Monday morning and get your seats reserved for Joseph Cook's lecture. d12 1t

W. A. Bridges, at 215 North Main street, is now prepared to do sandblasting, grinding, etc. Decorate your front doors and transom glass. Leave orders with Mr. Bridges. a5d1w

Grist is now running four chairs at his Gem Tonsorial parlors, on North Water street. They are presided over by himself and Messrs. Remley, Lancaster and Baker. 122

The delegates to the Art Union, which meets in Decatur in May, are Mrs. R. B. Latham, Mrs. Dr W. W. Houser, Mr. John Scully, Misses Bertie Latham, Annie Miller.—Lincoln Journal.

Miss Morgan, of Chicago, has arrived, and will assume her position as head trimmer in Mrs. McDonald's popular millinery house, Tuesday morning, April 8th. No. 125 East Main street. apl 8 d&wtf

Bushrod Cox and J. H. Hearn, both well-to-do farmers residing near Pana, had a difficulty the other day, during which Cox dealt Hearn a violent blow on the head with a singletree, inflicting serious injury.

The "Seven Modern Wonders of the World" will be the subject of the Joseph Cook lecture, at the opera house, Thursday evening April 17th. Reserve your seats at Curtis & Co's on Monday morning. a12d1t

For the past few days Al Morgan has been too busy to devote much time to his base ball project, but he has not forgotten it by any means. Everything points towards the organization of a first class team.

The well known strengthening properties of Iron combined with other tonics and a most perfect nervine, are found in Carter's Iron Pills, which strengthen the nerves and body, and improve the blood and complexion. d1m

Parties who bought $1 50 nickel numbers for their stores and dwellings, should take them to W. A. Bridges, No. 215 North Main street, and he will gild them nicely and make them stand out bold and plain. a5dw1.

An agent on the line of the Wabash had been receiving $95 per month, but previous to the recent cut in salaries, his wages were raised to $100. When the cut was made the agent was left $5 poorer than before his wages were raised.

The Main Line Wabash train going west yesterday afternoon, had placards on each coach, telling the principle cities through which the train passed. This is a move in the right direction, and will prove a source of much convenience to the traveling public. All trains should be labelled in a like manner.

Mind and body alike suffer from sluggish action of the blood, the result of dyspepsia or billiousness Ayer's Pills will stir up the liver, excite the stomach and bowels to activity, open the pores of the system, and insure health of body, which is indispensable to mental vigor. a81w

Miss S. C. Watson has returned from Indianapolis, and now has on hand the largest, finest, most complete, and most varied stock of millinery goods ever seen in Decatur. Her stock embraces all the latest styles and finest qualities of goods in her line, and she is prepared to sell at low down prices. a10tf

A man was arrested in Ottawa the other day for violating the fish law. He testified before the squire that the fish he seined were buffalo, redhorse and cat fish, and that the law applied to game fish. The squire did not consider that the law had been violated and the man was discharged.

The next theatrical attraction will be Rose Eygnie, in "Felici," supported by a strong dramatic company, which will appear here on Friday evening next. The star and company is highly spoken of. Following "Felici" will come Evan's, Bryants & Hoey's "Meteors," who will hold the boards on Saturday evening, April 19th.

The excursion which was run from Peoria to the battle field of Shiloh, under the management of Messrs. Kuhl and Bates, of Pekin, passed through here yesterday afternoon, on the return home. The Auduborn, fife cornet band was on board the train, and when the stop was made at the depot, they discoursed several fine selections. All the excursionists had relics which they secured at Shiloh, and all expressed themselves as highly delighted with the trip. Messrs. Kuhl and Bates feel flattered over the success of their enterprise.

Mary J. Barnes, the woman who gave her name as Mills, when arrested on Thursday night, was before Squire Curtis yesterday, on a charge of drunkenness. The old lady was very penitent, and promised to leave town and pay the jail fees, if the Squire would not fine her. She was released from custody on those conditions.

Mrs. Lucy Simpson, the colored lady who has made herself quite popular with the temperance folks of this city by her earnest advocation of the cold water cause, has returned, and is now delivering a series of lectures at the tabernacle. Last evening the immense building was crowded, and the closest attention was paid to the lady's remarks.

Dan Jones was fined five dollars and costs yesterday by 'Squire Lowry for contempt of court. A few days ago Mary Frankhouse, had him arrested for using profane language, and when the case was called for trial, the prosecuting witness did not appear, and Dan was charged with giving her a new dress pattern for remaining away. Thomas Lee was his attorney.

Henry Ward Beecher, who lectured here on Thursday evening, is something of an early riser. He got up yesterday morning at six o'clock, and sat around the St. Nicholas office for some time awaiting a seasonable breakfast hour. He left on the noon train, but before going, he ate dinner at the Central hotel. He lectured at Danville last evening, his subject being, "The Moral Uses of Riches, Luxury and Beauty."

Robert Randle, of Pana, was out snipe shooting on Thursday, in company with his brother, and on his return homeward his gun was accidentally discharged, the whole charge entering his face and head, tearing away his chin, and almost blowing the side of his head off. His death was instantaneous. He was about seventeen years of age, and leaves a widowed mother to mourn his unfortunate and untimely death.

A REVIEW representative, while in Blue Mound the other day, paid a visit to the public schools of that enterprising and flourishing little city, and was much pleased with what he saw and heard, as well as with the corteous and cordial manner in which he was received and entertained by the principal and his assistants. Mr. Northcutt, the principal, is evidently the right man in the right place, if we are permitted to judge from the progress made and proficiency attained by the pupils under his charge. Much praise is also due his able and popular assistants, Miss Nellie Hendrickes and Miss Nichols.

A letter received last evening by County Superintendent Trainer, from a friend in Florida, contains the information that corn in that favored locality is now from four to twelve inches in height, new potatoes are in the market, and strawberries abundant. The writer is postmaster at Orange Heights, in Orange county, where the flowers bloom all the year, all the people enjoy perpetual spring—and summer! In referring to the orange crop as the great source of wealth, he says it is not uncommon for a twelve-year-old tree to bear ten thousand oranges, which find a ready market at from $1.50 to $2 per hundred.

Old "Lib" and her gang of fast creatures were arrested yesterday on a charge of keeping and being inmates of a house of ill fame. Marshal Mason and Sheriff Foster went down and marched them before Squire McGorray, who fined them as follows: Mrs Davis, $30 and costs; Lou Johnson, Emma Victor and Mollie Collins, $20 and costs, each; Lizzie Brooks, was only fined $5 and costs, as it was her first offense. None of the crowd paid, but as they were arrested on a state warrant, they were all released for the present, but if they do not pay in a few days, they will all be locked up. The warrant was sworn out by Emma Sells.

A Mrs Ursury, living near Stewardson, Shelby county, became angry with her husband on Tuesday, and to force him to terms threatened to destroy herself. He paid no attention to her vaporings, and in her rage she saturated her clothing with coal oil, and pretended that it was her intention to burn herself to death. He remained unmoved, and his indifference so exasperated her that she went to the stove and set her dress on fire. In an instant she was covered with flames, and ran from the house, throwing herself in a ditch. The husband followed, and tore her clothes off, extinguishing the flames, but she was fatally burned. She lingered in great agony until the next day, when she died.

Edwin Brown, the young railroad brakeman, who was taken down with the small-pox at the county poor-farm, a few days ago, died on Thursday evening, and the remains were interred yesterday at the poor-farm. As soon as the case was discovered, the unfortunate young man was removed to the isolated house, and a pauper who had been a victim of the loathseme disease, was placed in charge of him. Every precaution was taken to prevent a spread of the disease, and there are now no grounds for fear. The house will be properly disinfected and the clothes worn by the pauper who attended the victim during his sickness will be burned. Brown was a resident of Lafayette, and his parents still live there.

New Dining Hall and Good Meals

If you want a good, clean and substantial meal for twenty five cents, go to the Woman's Christian Temperance Union dining hall, 151 South Water street. a11d&w1w

"TEARING UP STUMPS."

In what Hercules Powder Does When Properly Applied.

For several years past the "Hercules High Explosive" powder has been in use in newly cleared land and on newly made highways through timber, for the purpose of removing stumps by blowing them skyward, but its introduction in this section has not yet been general, although Mr. J. C. Crane, of this city, has done a great deal of work in that line, and in every instance given the highest satisfaction.

A few days since Mr. E. C. Reese, western agent for this famous explosive, announced that a public exhibition of its power and practical working qualities would be given in Mr James Millikin's timber lot, just beyond the western limit of the city, yesterday, and in response to and compliance with an invitation, a REVIEW representative accompanied him to the place and witnessed the exhibition, which was viewed by a large assemblage from both city and county, and was most satisfactory in every respect.

Several large stumps had been selected as victims. They were all inspected by the multitude before the "blowing up" began, and most of them were pronounced decidedly "hard cases." They were large and well rooted, though somewhat decayed. One, a "bull elm," was a monster, and the general sentiment was that if it was demolished the Hercules powder would take respectable rank with South American earth quakes and volcanic eruptions. A couple of the lesser or less formidable ones were fired, and the result was their effectual demolition. Then the "king of the forest" was attacked. Four holes were bored under it, and each supplied with a cartridge. These were fired with an electric battery When the wires connecting it with the battery were attached much interest was manifested, but the explosion came, and the stump "oh, where was it." It was a stump no more—its fragments being scattered to the four winds.

The next exhibition was four large stumps, all of which were charged and connected with the battery, and fired at the same instant. Their fate was simply that of the others. The places that knew them before the explosion will know them no more forever. One was blown over the fence into a neighboring field, with only a hole in the ground to indicate where it came or went from. The first stump "shot" was raised some distance in the air, and turned over, falling back in the hole with ends reversed. Pieces of those blown up were thrown different distances, ranging from ten to sixty yards, the pieces varying in weight from ten to five hundred pounds. The exhibition, like everything Mr. Reese ever does, was very systematically conducted, everything "working like a charm," and no accident or mishap of any kind occurring the crowd being duly notified before each blast, and given ample time to get a safe distance away.

In one instance a large boulder was thrown in quite close proximity to some gentlemen, but fell to the ground without harm.

Just as the final quadruple shot was being fired, a hog, which had been wandering in the timber, approached the vicinity of the stump, but the explosion caused him to beat a hasty retreat amid the flying debris. He escaped unhurt.

The verdict of all who witnessed this test, without a dissenting voice, was that in the removal of stumps the Hercules powder is all that is claimed for it, and the quickest, cheapest, and most effective means of removing stumps yet discovered. Its merits have only to be known to be appreciated.

The Clint in Convention.

The republicans of the Fourteenth Congressional District, held their convention at Clinton yesterday, for the purpose of nominating a candidate for congress, a candidate for the state board of equalization, a candidate for presidential election, and also to choose delegates to the national convention. The delegates from Macon county were Messrs. Hugh Crea, John H. Crocker, G. A. Biddel, D. C. Shockley, R. E. Careine, A. W. Wells, and James Lichtenberger.

The convention was called to order at eleven o'clock, R. A. Lemon, of Clinton, being elected chairman, and B. O. Wheeler, of Bloomington and John A. Barnes, of Decatur, secretaries

Captain John H. Rowell, of Bloomington, the present congressman from this district, was unanimously declared the nominee of the convention.

The candidate for the nomination of member of the State Board of Equalization, from this district, were Lake and Emery, of Macon, Cussey, of DeWitt, and Jones, of Logan. The balloting was close, and resulted in James C. Lake receiving the nomination on the eleventh ballot, Jones, of Logan having withdrawn on the fifth and Emery on the ninth ballot.

Joseph Fifer, of Bloomington, and George K. Ingham, of DeWitt, were chosen delegates to the National convention. James W. Haworth, of this city and J. A. Brown, of Monticello, were chosen as alternates.

E. D. Blinn, of Lincoln, was nominated for presidential elector.

The Macon county delegates returned home last evening.

White's Gate.

One of White's agents sold $800 worth of territory this week. White says: "If any one is so prejudiced as to doubt that the sales I report in the paper are *bona fide*, I will agree to give him the amount of money and notes he may claim are not so, provided he will agree to purchase half that amount if it is so. Most of my sales are paid in good notes, bearing interest. If you want to see for yourself, come and be satisfied. My business is open for investigation.

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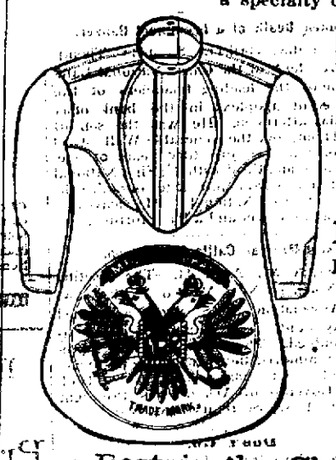

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